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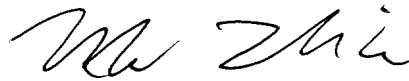
Ms. Magalie R. Salas, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
Portals II, TW-A325, 445 Twelfth Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Petition for Rule Making  
Big Lake, Texas

Dear Ms. Salas:

Enclosed is an original and four (4) copies of a Petition for Rule Making for Big Lake, Texas.

Respectfully Submitted,



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Before the  
**Federal Communications Commission**  
Washington, D.C. 20554

In the Matter of )  
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Amendment of 73.202 (b) ) MM Docket No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Table of Allotments )  
FM Broadcast Stations )  
(Big Lake, TX) )

To: John Karousos, Chief  
Allocations Branch  
Mass Media Bureau

PETITION FOR RULE MAKING

Pursuant to 47 C.F.R. 1.401, Robert Fabian respectfully petitions the FCC to institute a Rule Making proceeding to amend the FM Table of Allotments to add Channel 246A at Big Lake, Texas.

DISCUSSION

Petitioner respectfully submits that the public interest would be served by allocating Channel 246A to Big Lake, Texas, as that community's first commercial FM service. Big Lake is an incorporated community of over 3,400 people. Big Lake has its own mayor, J.R. Dunn, its own post office, its own fire department, its own school district and a number of local churches. The proposed channel 246A will provide additional diversity and an outlet for local self-expression to Big Lake residents and therefore is in the public interest.

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Attached hereto is a channel study confirming that Channel 246A can be allocated to Big Lake, Texas consistent with the FCC's FM separation rules. See revision of FM Assignment Policies and Procedures, 90 FCC 2d 88 (1992).

Reference coordinates are:

31 11 33 N  
101 20 53 W

Should this petition be granted, and Channel 246A be allotted to Big Lake, Texas, Petitioner will apply for Channel 246A, and after it is authorized, will promptly construct the new facility.

The information provided in this Petition for Rule Making is correct and true to the best of my knowledge.

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MAPFM search of channel 246A6 (97.1 MHz), at N. 31 11 33, W. 101 20 53.

Searching Channel 246A6 (97.1 MHz):

CALL	CITY	ST	CHN	CL	S	DIST	SEPN	BRNG	CLEARANCE
K206CA	STERLING CITY	TX	243	C2	L	65.7	55.0	46.7°	10.7
KCSE	STERLING CITY	TX	243	C2	C	65.7	55.0	46.7°	10.7
KRQT	STERLING CITY	TX	243	C2	U	65.2	55.0	22.5°	10.2
KMCM	ODESSA	TX	245	C1	L	133.3	133.0	318.1°	0.3
KZTA	ODESSA	TX	245	C1	U	133.3	133.0	318.1°	0.3
WCMF-F	SONORA	TX	245	C3	A	105.1	89.0	141.6°	16.1
ALC	HASKELL	TX	246	C1	R	261.8	243.0	33.5°	18.8
KGKL-F	SAN ANGELO	TX	248	C1	L	95.1	75.0	69.3°	20.1
KWTX-F	SAN ANGELO	TX	248	C1	U	95.1	75.0	69.3°	20.1

# Big Lake, Texas CH. 246A 3.16mv

